



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Board of Public Utilities

*Two Gateway Center
Newark, NJ 07012*

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF SHORE)	<u>ORDER</u>
WATER COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OR AN)	<u>FURTHER SUSPENDING</u>
INCREASE IN RATES FOR SERVICE)	<u>INCREASES, CHANGES OR</u>
		<u>ALTERATIONS IN RATES FOR SERVICE</u>
		DOCKET NO. WR99090678

(SERVICE LIST ATTACHED)

BY THE BOARD:

On September 30, 1999, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-21 and N.J.A.C. 14:1-5.12, Petitioner, Shore Company, a public utility of the State of New Jersey subject to the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Utilities, filed for a revision of its rates, amounting to an increase of \$159,288 or 41.97% in annual revenues. Shore Water Company serves approximately 770 water customers within the area of Berkeley Township known as South Seaside Park, in Ocean County. Shore Water Company has requested that its petition become effective on October 30, 1999.

The Board transmitted this matter to the Office of Administrative Law for hearings and on November 1, 1999 the Board suspended these rates until February 29, 2000, pending a determination or said hearings on the justness and reasonableness of petitioner's rates.

It is now appearing that hearings before the Office of Administrative Law in this matter are continuing, the Board **HEREBY ORDERS** pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-2 that said proposed revisions be and the same are hereby further responded until June 29, 2000, unless the Board prior to said date shall make a determination disposing of said petition.

DATED: 2/02/00

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

BY:

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Shore Water Company
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For Water Service
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